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Applicant

: Janardhanan S. Ajit

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Title

: SUB-MICRON HIGH INPUT VOLTAGE
TOLERANT INPUT OUTPUT (I/O)
CIRCUIT WHICH ACCOMMODATES

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LARGE POWER SUPPLY VARIATIONS

TC/A.U.

: 2816

Examiner

: Terry D. Cunningham

Docket No.

: 41980/PAN/B600

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Commissioner:

Pursuant to the request for continued examination (RCE) filed concurrently herewith and in response to the final rejection dated April 1, 2003, please amend the above identified application prior to examination as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the list of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.